

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: <b>Hajime KANDO</b> Application No.: <b>10/560,275</b> Confirmation No.: <b>3343</b> Filing or 371(c) date: <b>December 8, 2005</b> Title: <b>ACOUSTIC BOUNDARY WAVE DEVICE</b>	Art Unit: <b>2834</b> Examiner: <b>J. San Martin</b>
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits of the above-identified patent application,  
Applicant respectfully requests entry and consideration of the following Amendment:

- ☒ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page      of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page      of this paper.
- ☒ **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.

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